GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS

LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.1691 TO BE ANSWERED ON 13.02.2019

DWARF CONTAINER SERVICE

1691. SHRI K. ASHOK KUMAR:

Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Railways has introduced a commercial service to run double stack dwarf containers on trains to capture the lost traffic through new delivery model for domestic cargo;
- (b) if so, the details thereof;
- (c) whether due to this double stacked dwarf container service, the Railways has received increased revenue of Rs.18.50 lakh; and
- (d) if so, the details thereof?

ANSWER

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS

(SHRI RAJEN GOHAIN)

- (a) Yes, Madam.
- (b) The first Double Stack Dwarf Container Train was booked on 06.07.2018 from Reliance Rail Terminal-Kanalus. Thereafter till 22.01.2019, seven loaded trains have run.
- (c) & (d) Yes, Madam. Indian Railways has received revenue of ₹ 2.29

 Crore till 22.01.2019 by running of Double Stack Dwarf Container

 Trains.
